

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 14, line 5 as follows:

TiO₂ carrying Cr₂O₃ and BaO was used as the combinedly used COS conversion catalyst that has both functions of O₂ removal catalyst and COS conversion catalyst. As the result, the COS concentration on the COS conversion catalyst outlet side was 15 ppm, and the COS conversion rate was 0.951.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 15, line 1 as follows:

Table 1 Results of experiment

	Item	Unit	Exempl e 1	Exempl e 2	Exempl e 3	Compar ative exempl e	Exempl e 4	
Inlet gas condition	H ₂	Vol-	12.6					
	H ₂ O	Vol-	3.1					
	CO	Vol-	28.4					
	CO ₂	Vol-	4.2					
	N ₂	—	Balance					
	H ₂ S	Ppm-	567					
	COS	Ppm-	307					
	O ₂	Ppm-	145				240	
	Temperatu re	°C	300				200~4 00	
Pressure	Mpa	2.29						
Catalyst condition	O ₂ remo val cata lyst	Kin d	—	5.5wt% Cr2O3/ TiO ₂	10wt%N iO/TiO 2	5.5wt% Cr2O3/ TiO ₂ 5.5wt% Cr ₂ O ₃ / BaO TiO ₂	None	5.5wt% Cr2O3/ TiO ₂
		SV	1/h	11320		4528	—	30000
	COS conv ersi on cata lyst	Kin d	—	4wt%BaO/TiO ₂		(O ₂ removal catalyst was combined ly, used)	4wt%Ba O/TiO ₂	None
		SV	1/h	7547			4528	—
	Sum of cataly sts	SV	1/h	4528				
Outlet gas component	H ₂ S	ppm- v	862	860	859	764	—	
	COS	ppm- v	12	14	15	110	—	

Performance	COS conversion rate*	—	0.961	0.954	0.951	0.642	—
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